

## ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE.

TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 9, 1901.

**MAN A TORCH IN MID-AIR.**—George Devan, who gives an athletic performance in Sunbury, Pa., closing with a high dive into water after making a slide on an inclined wire cable, ablaze with burning cotton, holding only by his teeth, while he goes through space at the rate of a hundred feet a second, was horribly burned in mid-air at that place Sunday night. He gave his usual athletic exhibition and prepared to give his "sensational high dive."

He covered almost his whole body with strand after strand of cotton saturated with coal oil. Thinking every thing was secure the match was applied to the cotton, and he started on his perilous ride. Hardly had he gone fifty feet when he was brought to a standstill by a jerk, suspended in the air thirty feet with the cotton rapidly burning into his flesh.

Had he gone a little farther he could have dropped into water, but under him was a big crowd.

With great presence of mind he climbed hand over hand on the wire to the tree which was used as a support, and after reaching the tree he tore the burning material from his body and climbed to the ground.

Upon examination it was found that he was burned almost all over the body. Three strands of the cable had become broken and made a knot in the wire, which prevented the pulley from sliding over it, thus causing the accident.

**A BEER TRUST WIPED OUT.**—The property of the Maryland Brewing Company was sold yesterday in Baltimore under a foreclosure of the first mortgage made by the company at the real estate exchange for \$350,000. It was bought for the Gottlieb-Baumann-Schmidt-Straus Brewing Company, which is composed of the practical brewers and managers identified with the various breweries which were owned by the Maryland Brewing Company. Yesterday's sale, which is subject to the ratification of the court, wipes out the beer trust, whose career was as short lived as it was ill fated. The new company has no fixed charges to pay until six months after the ratification sale. The annual payment will be \$188,750 for the first two years and \$225,000 a year thereafter. The Maryland Brewing Company was obliged to pay \$450,000 a year in interest charges.

**Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup** will cure a Cough or Cold at once. Coughs Croup, Whooping Cough and Measles Cough without fail. Best for Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Grippe, Pneumonia, Consumption and Lung Abscess. Give quick results. Price 25c. Sold by Richard Gibson and all druggists.

These famous little pills, Dr. Williams' Little Blue Pills, purify the liver and bowels to do their duty, thus giving you pure, rich blood to recapture your body. Are easy to take. Never gripe. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons.

**OPENING AND CLOSING OF MARKS.**—Northern mails, week days, close at 7:30 and 10:45 a. m. and 1:15, 2:50, 6:50 and 7:55 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m., 12:00 m. and 4:30 p. m. On Sundays Northern mails close at 1:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. Southern mails, week days, close at 7:30 and 10:45 a. m. and 1:15, 2:50, 6:50 and 7:55 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m., 12:00 m. and 4:30 p. m.

**Office Hours.**—Open at 8:00 a. m. Close at 9:30 p. m. Carriers' Schedule.—Collection made on route—6:30 and 10:00 a. m. and 3:00 and 5:30 p. m. Full route—6:30 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. Sunday collection—5:00 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. Open at 9:00 a. m. and close at 9:30 p. m.

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## AUCTION SALES.

**BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST** dated June 12th, 1899, and recorded in deed book No. 44, page 34, of the land records of Alexandria city, Va., executed by Margaret Head and husband, to Lewis McK. Bell, trustee of the Alexandria Perpetual Building Fund Association, and default having been made in the payment of the debt secured by said trust and being thereunto ordered by the Board of Directors of said association, the undersigned trustee thereof will at 12 o'clock, m. on

**SATURDAY,**

the 13th day of July, 1901, in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building in the city of Alexandria, Va., offer for sale at public auction for cash all that TENEMENT and LOT OF GROUND situated in said city on the north side of Cameron street between Patrick and Henry streets, and bounded as follows: Beginning on the north side of Cameron street 42 feet, 10 inches, more or less, west of Patrick street and at the west wall of the brick house standing upon the ground conveyed to Elias Swannberry by Mark's et al., and running west with Cameron street 18 feet, 9 inches, to the east line of the house standing upon the ground conveyed by the same parties to Jas. P. Carlin, thence south parallel to Patrick street 73 feet, 5 inches; thence east parallel to Cameron street the length of the first line, and thence by a straight line to the beginning, with all rights and appurtenances to the same belonging. Conveyance at the cost of the purchaser.

**LEWIS MCK. BELL,**  
**SAMUEL B. FISHER,** Trustees.  
**WM. E. LATHAM,**

By E. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

**BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST** dated October 23rd, 1896, and recorded in deed book No. 32, page 100, of the land records of Alexandria city, Virginia, executed by James E. Lyle, trustee, and others, to Henry Green and others, trustees of The Old Dominion Perpetual Building Fund Association of Alexandria, Virginia, and default having been made in the payment of the debt secured by said trust, and being thereunto ordered by the Board of Directors of said association, the undersigned trustee thereof will at 12 o'clock m. on

**SATURDAY,**

the 13th day of July, 1901, in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building in the city of Alexandria, Va., offer for sale at public auction for cash the following real estate situated in said city, to-wit:

1. All that TENEMENT and LOT OF GROUND beginning on the south side of Wilkes street 63 feet, 8 1/2 inches, more or less, west of Royal street; thence south parallel to Royal street 151 feet, 7 inches; thence west parallel to Wilkes street 20 feet, more or less, to Webster's line; thence north parallel to Wilkes street 151 feet, 7 inches, to the east line of the lot; thence east on Wilkes street 20 feet, more or less, to the beginning.

2. All that LOT OF GROUND beginning on the south side of Wilkes street 167 feet, more or less, west of Royal street, and at the east line of the lot described in the foregoing lot of ground, thence north parallel to Wilkes street 15 feet; thence south parallel to Royal street 176 feet, 7 inches, more or less; thence west parallel to Wilkes street 15 feet to the line of the lot above described, and thence north 176 feet, 7 inches, more or less, to the beginning, with all appurtenances to said lots of ground aforesaid belonging. Conveyance at the cost of purchasers.

**B. L. JACOBS** Surviving Trustee.

**B. M. GREEN,** Trustee.

By S. H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

**COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.**

By virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, entered in the chancery cause therein depending, entitled Atwood Violet v. Edwin B. Violet, et al., the undersigned Special Commissioner of Sale will sell at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on

**SATURDAY, JULY 13th, 1901,**

at 12 o'clock noon, the following property in said city of Alexandria, Virginia:

A LOT OF GROUND improved by a brick store at the southwest corner of King and West streets, fronting twenty-four (24) feet on King street and running south on West street one hundred and one (101) feet to an alley (10 feet wide); also,

A LOT OF GROUND beginning on the east side of Pitt street twenty-three (23) feet, five (5) inches south of Princess street, and running south on Pitt street twenty-three (23) feet, five (5) inches, more or less, and running back same width on hundred and thirty-two (132) feet, more or less, to Beach's line.

Terms of Sale: One-third of the purchase money in cash and the residue in six and twelve months, the purchasers to give their notes for the deferred payments, which are to bear interest from the day of sale, and the title to be retained until the whole of the purchase money is paid. All conveyances at the expense of the purchasers.

**A. W. ARMSTRONG,** Special Commissioner of Sale.

I hereby certify that A. W. Armstrong, one of the Special Commissioners of Sale, has given the bond required by the decree for sale in the chancery cause, Atwood Violet v. Edwin B. Violet, et al.

**JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk,**

By J. T. Callahan, D. C.

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## TELEPHONE EXCHANGES.

**HOME TELEPHONE COMPANY.**

**ALEXANDRIA, VA.**

**EXCHANGE. 309 KING STREET.**

**\$3 A MONTH FOR BUSINESS.**

**\$2 A MONTH FOR HOMES.**

**F. F. MARBURY, Manager.**

**E. P. MATTER, Electrician.**

**SUBSCRIBERS' LIST.**

101 Alexandria County Courthouse

193 Adams Express Company

11 Apple, D. H.

15 Apple, Geo. A.

115 Alexandria Infirmary

95A Altheim, D. W.

94 Alexandria Bottling Co., Jas. McCon

30 Alexandria Steam Bakery

37 Alexandria Gas Works

199 Alexandria Times

7 Alexandria Gasette

15 Apple, G. A.

5 Armstrong & Marbury

184 Alexandria Water Company

30 Anderson, E. M.

77 Booths, Gardner L.

96 Baggett Bros

134 Burroughs, T. F. Sons & Co.

19 Beaver, H.

25 Beach, Jos. E.

6 B & O R. E. Co.

29 Bain W. E.

176 Brill, Jos.

170 Beckham, J. T. & J. G.

83 Barclay, L. C. residence.

72 Barclay, L. C. office.

197A Baltimore Meat Market [H. Smith]

160B Baltimore Meat Market [O. Gerson]

34 Crilly, J. H.

36 Chasman's Stables, E. L. Myers & Co.

108 City Treasurer

107 Columbia Engine House

144 Carter Bros

111 Carter, J. A. & W. W. Plumbers

126 City Gas Office

87 Chalmers, A. C.

45B Della, Andrew

97 Druffis, J. & Co.

40 Entwistle, F. L.

123 Episcopal High School [Seminary Hill]

127 Entwistle, J. W. Druggists

155 Exchange and Ballard.

27 Fisher Bros

45A Fendall, W. E.

35 Fanner, N. C.

88 Fleischmann House.

118 Flanagan, Jos. R.

167 Flanagan, J. E. Residence

142B Francis, Peter

148 Globe Flour Mills

62 Garrett & Monroe

56 Graves, W. P.

155 Exchange Hotel.

43 Harper, F. S.

58 Hinken & Son

70 Hill, J. M. & Co.

41 Hamilton Co.

106 Hydration Engine House

171 Hill, J. M. & Co.

125B Hurst, M.

188 Hammond, J. W. & Sons—Lee

177 Hoy, Thos.

64 Jackson, Wash.

28 King, Chas. & Son

13 Kirk, H. Jr.

48 Lindsey, N. & Co.

67 Lindsey, N. Residence

9 Leadbeater & Sons

151B Lindsey, N. Braddock High

128 Matthew, J.

66 Marshall, J. A.

76 May, W. H. & Son

181 Milburn, J. C.

99 May, J. W. Residence

166A Matter, E. P. electrician.

55 Marbury, Leonard, Residence

55 Marbury, P. F. Mgr.

116 Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Co.

187 B. Neale, J. Stanley

77 Norton, J. K. M.

168 O'Sullivan M. R.

125 Pullman, P. & Co. Wood & Coal Yard

85 Pullman, P. & Co. Main Store

196 Pullman, P. & Co. Branch Store

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**SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY.**

**WYTHE WHITE, Manager.**

10 Adams Express Co.

108 Ahern, Jos. & Co.

149 Wheatley, B.

1055 Williams, N. H.

1470 Winston, W. L.

1135 Wise, Mrs. Peter

70b Wood, Mrs. M. A.

1043s Woolf, W. F.

18 Zimmerman, J. B. residence

77 Zimmerman, J. B. office

Andale, Va. W. J. Malone.

Palfrax Court House, Va. James Adams.

Centreville, Va. B. C. Utterbach

Palfrax Court, Va.

Manassas, Va. Shannon's drugstore.

Wellington, C. O. Leachman.

Haymarket, Va. Chas. B. Wilson.

Waverly, Va. E. H. Janney.

Maple Grove, Va. Dr. Chas. H. Janney.